

King's Children.

TIOSA, IND.

The King's Children of Tiosa held a very interesting meeting in which they rendered a well arranged program Sunday evening, March 7, and on motion of Rev. Hopkins, the secretary was instructed to send a copy of the program to the EVANGELIST for publication, that the others might know what we are doing. The meeting Sunday evening was a joint meeting of the Senior and the Junior classes. The following is a copy of program as rendered :

Subject of Lesson : "Opportunities to do good, seeing them, doing them."

Song by the Senior class.

Short discussion of subject.

Children's work in Missions, by seven little girls.

Speech, by Metta Kenley.

Select Reading, by Maud Wooly.

Song, by Junior Class.

Speech, by Gracie Keiser.

Essay—Christianity, Chas. Richards.

Recitation—Golden Keys, by three girls.

Speech, by Minnie Keiser.

Song, by Senior class.

Essay—Young People's Organizations, by Ora Rogers.

Speech, by Sallie Palmer.

Our Offering, by seven girls.

What can the Reason be? By three boys.

Speech, by Fern Wright.

Speech, by Reathel Perschbacher.

Discussion on subject of lesson by Rev. Hopkins.

Closed with song.

ISAAC MECHLING, Pres.

FAY WRIGHT, Sec.

CHICAGO, ILL.

As I am president of our King's Children Society here, I shall endeavor to write a short article for the K. C. columns in the EVANGELIST. Our society was organized Dec. 27, 1896,—hence we are not quite two months old—with thirty-four members enrolled on our secretary's book. Since our organization we have added fifteen members to our society. We have five committees and all are doing good work. We meet every Sunday evening from seven to eight o'clock, and we always have very interesting meetings. A few weeks ago one of our members suggested that we ought to have a book case for our mission room. A few days later kind friends supplied us with one. Now we have the case, but have no books to place on its shelves. Good literature, both books and magazines are especially

needed in our work here. It is therefore I make a special appeal to our young people throughout the brotherhood that each society send us one or more books or magazines, or if it is more convenient to you send the price of a book. If this is heeded by our young people, my word for it, it will not be long until these shelves which now look so bare will be covered with books, and we will have a library of which our Young People's Society at large may be proud of. Who will be the first to send us a book? May God bless you and help you to make Jesus known. Send books and correspondence in care of JOHN DUKE MCFADEN, Chicago, Ill. 235 S. Campbell Ave., Sta. D.

Yours in Christ Jesus,

CHAS. HESSE.

Church News.

OUR CHICAGO LETTER.

THE WORK STILL MOVES ON.

But there is nothing still about the work. It is full of life and plenty of spirit. I came here on Friday morning and found all well, made some visits and at night received two into the church, one by baptism and one by relation during the past week. We had good congregations. I run back to Nappanee to finish the work and now am home again in the midst of another series of sermons, and will no doubt report some good results. Baptism in Chicago is a question of interest.

MORE PRACTICAL HELP.

Brother Talley notified us of three barrels sent, the second or third time they have sent. Those goods from North Manchester came all right. Brother Isaac Leedy writes me that some flour and meal and other things are sent, and he gets quite poetical. He writes as follows :

"We grow pure white corn,
As sure as you are born,
And convert it into meal
By using a twelve foot wheel
The Lord sends the (wind) power,
The meal is almost white as flour."

Now that is nice. Our folks will use it hour by hour, and pray the Spirit's power may go with every pound of flour, and while they sing the praise of Leedy's meal and bin, may they keep from growing thin, as they walk redeemed from sin. Brother Joe Cunningham sent us some eggs. I believe he took supper with us one night when we had eggs, Chicago eggs. Oh! how they smell. Chicago eggs are back numbers, so Brother Joe sent us some good ones. By the way, if you need good Plymouth Rock chickens,

or Poland China pigs, Brother Cunningham's is the place to get them, Loree, Ind., is his place. I am writing this at Nappanee. Soon as I get home and have access to file will acknowledge receipt of all goods in next letter.

FROM SISTER GIBBONS.

Sister Sadie says: "Sister Quackenbush made a man happy by feeding him to-day. The young man went away loaded. His father sick, and mother and little baby. He is about Duke's age. Gave him an overcoat, such a tickled boy; if the giver could have seen the happiness it gave him they would feel more than repaid for sending it." I think that may be the overcoat a brother brought me at Milford. It belonged to his dead boy. I know Sister Quackenbush put it where it done the most good. She is practical, and helps in an intelligent manner. Speaking of Dr. Chapman, Sister Gibbons says: "Dr. Chapman did preach Jesus right from the Gospel standpoint. We all enjoyed his meeting so much we asked him to come again. He said he would when you were home, then we had a praise service at the close. I thought we would get a young man that has been coming lately, he told me Sunday he never saw just where he was standing so plain till to-night. Last night he had to fight to stay back and not confess his Savior; he asked for our prayers, he said if it had not been for this mission I would be with a hard young man, but when we went past I could not go on, but thank the Lord I come in here." We have been the means of saving more than one soul by having them "come in here." The Brethren Mission has paid; it is a success; the Lord is with us, and that satisfies me.

FROM BROTHER BARTH AND OTHERS.

Brother Barth says: "We have been praying for God to keep you on deck, and we are very glad to think he has done so." Again he says: "I hope you may do much good and I know you will if you keep low down at the cross." Brother Amos Davis of South Fork, Pa., sending us a dollar for postage says: "We will ever remember you at a throne of grace." Brother J. B. Whipkey of Carleton, Neb., who so nobly stood by his pastor for four years says: "I have often thought that you have more than one man's share of the Lord's work to do, but you have no idea how much it rejoices my heart to know that you can do it. I often pray God to give you physical strength." For the encouragement of these, and a host of others who are praying for me I will say God answers prayer. Since last year, and in-